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In re Application of: Robert T. Ellingson

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Application No.: 10/803,005

Filed: March 17, 2004

For: DOOR FRAME WITH UNITARY HEAD FLASHING, NAILING FIN, AND TEAR-AWAY CONSTRUCTION COVER

Attached in connection with the above-identified patent application are the following:

- (1) Transmittal Form;
- (2) Fee Transmittal; and
- (3) Response to Office Action and Amendment.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>		<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	
Utility	310	155	510	255	210	105	_____
Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	_____
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	_____
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	_____

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
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20	0	x	=	50	25	
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Indep. Claims	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	370	185	
3	0	x	=			
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Mail Stop Amendment
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND
AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed September 5, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

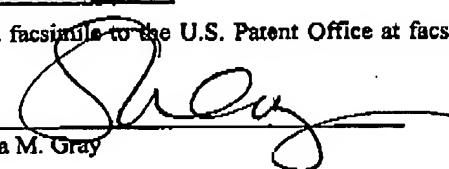
Conclusion is on page 12 of this paper.

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